

<p align="center"><b>DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted with Initial Filing      <input type="checkbox"/> Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing</p>		Attorney Docket No.	1760-302
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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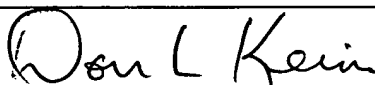
I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: COTTON CULTIVAR DP 494 RR which is claimed and for which a patent is sought, the specification of which is attached hereto.

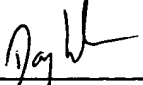
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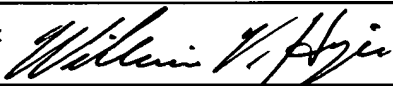
I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

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